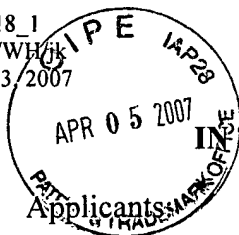


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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for filing in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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\* not fewer than 20  
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**Petition for Extension of Time**

Applicant hereby petitions for a further one month extension of time for filing Notice of Appeal to the Final Office Action dated November 3, 2006 under 37 CFR § 1.136(a).



Fees for additional extension of time:

Fee for Total Extension of 2 mo. \$ 450

Less fee paid on March 5, 2007 for 1 mo. \$ 120

Balance of fee due

\$330

In lieu of filing a Notice of Appeal, Applicants' Attorney is filing a Request for Continued Examination concurrently herewith.

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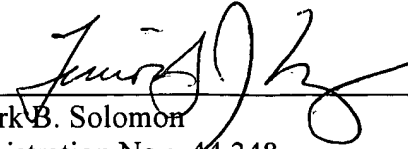
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Respectfully submitted,

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